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2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
3 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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5 ARTHUR D HOOVER,

6 Plaintiff,

7 v.

8 THE UNITED STATES COURT,

9 Defendant.

Case No. 2:18-cv-01964-RFB-CWH

ORDER

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11 This Court has an obligation to ensure that it has jurisdiction over a case filed before it.
12 Rule 8 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure require a Plaintiff to file “short a short and plain
13 statement of the grounds for the court’s jurisdiction” and to assert a “a short and plain statement
14 of the claim showing that the pleader is entitled to relief.” Id. The Court has reviewed the
15 Complaint [ECF No. 2] and other documents [ECF Nos. 1, 3 and 5] filed in the record by the
16 Plaintiff. The Court finds that the Complaint and the other documents filed do not establish this
17 Court’s jurisdiction. The documents do not clearly and concisely identify a cognizable claim over
18 which this Court would have jurisdiction and the Court finds that it would be futile to allow for
19 amendment given the general nature of the statements made.

20 Accordingly,

21 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Complaint is dismissed without prejudice. All
22 pending motions are denied without prejudice as moot. The Clerk of Court is directed to close this
23 case.

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25 DATED this 2nd day of November, 2018.

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28 RICHARD F. BOULWARE, II
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE